

WORK FOR A WEEK AT WASHINGTON

FORECAST OF PROBABLE NATIONAL LEGISLATION.

The Resolution of Senator Davis as to The New Interpretation of the Monroe Doctrine Excites the Most Interest—Program For the House—General Capital News.

Washington, Jan. 20.—A good deal of anxiety is felt here as to the prospective action upon the Monroe doctrine resolution which the foreign affairs committee is expected to recommend to the Senate today. That President Cleveland's interpretation of the Monroe doctrine is not altogether satisfactory, especially that feature which relates to peaceful extension of territory upon this continent by European powers, is evident. But whether there is not danger that Congress, in its desire to outdo President Cleveland upon this subject, may put so big a chip on the American shoulder as to prove troublesome in an unnecessary and unwise way, is the question which these men are now considering. It is known that the more thoughtful and conservative men in the House and Senate doubt the wisdom at this time of rushing to an extreme declaration upon this subject.

It may be that the resolution which the foreign affairs committee has adopted will not be as extreme as has been reported, but, should it prove to be such, there is naturally a good deal of anxiety as to the effect of its adoption. This proposition, which calls upon Congress to lay down a definite line of policy which shall be recognized as a national one with reference to all America on the one hand and all the world on the other, is a serious one, and it ought to be considered with a great deal of calmness and aside from any political bearing.

The doctrine laid down by Mr. Monroe was made in the light of a belief that by taking this step and enunciating the doctrine of opposition to European invasions of American territory he would obtain the co-operation and permanent friendship of Great Britain, since this proposition had come from Mr. Canning, the British premier. Now that a new and more definite enunciation of the Monroe doctrine is proposed by this Congress it is found that in doing so it does not bring with it the support of any European nation, but would put the United States government in a position in which it would at all times and through all time be under obligations to resent and resist any interference with the possessions of any government upon American soil by any European power, no matter what the circumstances.

There seems to be a disposition to take advantage of the weak spot in Mr. Cleveland's message, and for political purposes to make this declaration far beyond that of Mr. Cleveland, and more explicit and far-reaching than the original enunciation by President Monroe. That the proposition, if couched in the terms which are now expected, will be debated at great length is probable.

Interviews with members of congress on the Monroe doctrine shows a general desire to take up the question and to make the declaration upon the subject clear, but only after careful consideration.

It is whispered that the expressions of sentiment here and elsewhere against an unnecessarily vigorous enunciation of Monroism just at a time when an adjustment of the Venezuelan matter seems in good prospect may lead the senate committee to withhold the resolution for the present, though this is not yet fully determined.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM.

Question of Finances and the Monroe Doctrine in the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The present indications are that the time of the senate will be divided this week between the discussion of finances and the Monroe doctrine, the latter being based on the Davis resolution and the former on the free-coinage substitute for the house bond bill. Several senators, including Teller, Daniel, Cockrell, and White, will speak on the silver bill during the week, and the probabilities are that the consideration of the bill will not be concluded when the end of the week is reached. No vote will be secured until the Utah senators take their seats, but it will come soon after that time. The silver substitute is the unfinished business, which fact gives it precedence over all other matters each day after 2 o'clock, thus rendering it impossible to take up the Monroe resolution except during the morning hour, unless by general consent. Senator Pugh has given notice that he will today try to secure a vote on his resolution for the payment of government obligations in coin instead of gold alone, but his success in that direction is doubtful. The tariff bill will be reported during the week if Senator Jones of Nevada gives his consent.

The house will devote the coming week to the consideration of appropriation bills unless a move is made to recognize the Cubans as belligerents.

Found Guilty of Manslaughter. Wapakoneta, O., Jan. 20.—The celebrated murder trial of Louis Van Skiver, who figured in the riot here last summer and killed two strikers, came to an end yesterday. The jury, after being out twenty-nine hours, brought in a verdict of manslaughter.

FOR A BIG CONVENTION.

Christian Endeavorers Enthusiastic Over the Outlook.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The fourth annual convention of the local Christian Endeavor Union closed yesterday with an overflowing mass meeting in Central Hall. Enthusiasm has run high during the past few days and Washingtonians look upon the event as but a forecast of the international convention, to be held here next July. The progress reported by the committee of '96 indicates that the convention will, as Dr. Clark said in one of his addresses, reach the high-water mark. The vast committee, composed of 3,000 persons, gave already abundant signs of active work. Their organization is complete and soon they will undertake the detail work of canvassing the city for accommodations and making the assignments of churches. The hall committee has made contracts for the erection of three mammoth tents.

Besides having a hotel headquarters each state will have headquarters at one of the city churches. Pennsylvania, with a delegation of 7,000, has been assigned to the Calvary Baptist Church, New York to the Church of the Covenant, Massachusetts to the First Congregational Church and Indiana to the Vermont Avenue Christian Church. The churches will be kept open during the entire convention and here the delegates will receive their mail and find home comforts. The committee expect that at the lowest calculation 60,000 delegates will be registered. Recent indications are that the number will be nearer 75,000.

TO GO TO TURKEY.

Miss Clara Barton Will Try to Carry Aid to Armenians.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Miss Clara Barton, president of the American Red Cross society, and her secretary, George M. Pullman, are completing their preparations to sail on Wednesday for Turkey. It is known that Miss Barton and her associates have doubted the authority of the Turkish minister here in issuing his recent statement to the effect that the Red Cross would not be allowed to distribute funds that have been collected in this country for Armenian relief.

No answer has yet been received from Minister Terrell in reply to Secretary Olney's instructions of Friday last to ascertain finally the decision of the Turkish authorities whether Miss Barton will be allowed to conduct her work in Armenia. At the Turkish Legation it was stated that there was no room to question the authenticity of the minister's statement, and that it had been issued under instructions from the Turkish government. Miss Barton, it was said, will, of course, be allowed to land at Constantinople, but will not be permitted to make any distribution of funds among the Armenians unless the Sultan is brought to change his present mind through representations of the state department.

Gen. Weaver Goes to Washington.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—General J. B. Weaver left this city last night for Washington, via Chicago, to attend an important conference to be held at the national capital on Jan. 27. The three national free-silver organizations will send twenty-five delegates each to the conference, which will also be attended by a committee appointed here by the national Populist committee. General Weaver said he had no doubt that the People's party and the silverites would adopt the same platform on the financial question. He thought a joint convention would be held here when the Populist convention meets.

Savages Were to Invade the Transvaal.

London, Jan. 20.—The Chronicle has a long Bloemfontein dispatch which says it was the intention of the people of the Chartered South Africa company to set loose savages to invade the Transvaal from all points to kill every white man, and that provision stations had been arranged for all over South Africa, the object being to destroy Pretoria and to present England with the accomplished fact of the conquest. It is also said that sketches of Pretoria and of the Rand by military men had been seized.

Immense Trust Formed.

Erie, Pa., Jan. 20.—The deed of the American Meter Company has been put on file here. The new combination, or meter trust, will operate the metric metal works at Erie, those in Albany, N. Y., and two in Philadelphia, Pa. One of the New York factories and one in Philadelphia will be closed. There are eleven directors, and the \$2,000,000 of capital stock represents one hundred cents on the dollar of value.

Thinks Arbitration Probable.

London, Jan. 20.—The Chronicle believes Great Britain and Venezuela will institute inquiries into the settlements and cessions of land in the disputed territory. "This will present a basis," the Chronicle thinks, "for the renewal of negotiations. It is now most probable that arbitration will be resorted to."

Trainmen's Trustees to Meet.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 20.—Grand Master Morrissey of the Railway Trainmen, has called a meeting of the grand trustees in this city today, the meeting to last three days. It is the annual business session, and reports will be audited and funds transferred to a depository to be selected.

TROOPS ARE READY TO GO AND FIGHT

FLORIDA MILITIA ORDERED UNDER ARMS.

Belief Is Expressed That Great Britain Is About to Purchase the Island of Cuba From Spain and The United States Will Resist any Such Arrangement.

Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 20.—At the request of the federal war department, Governor Mitchell ordered Adjutant General Houston to see that the Florida militia is in readiness to take the field at a moment's notice. The statement is made on the authority of Judge M. A. Dzialinski of Jacksonville. The judge received his information from an aide in Adjutant General Houston's office. Judge Dzialinski's informant said it was understood similar requests had been sent to the governors of other southern states. The story has become generally known here and is causing great excitement.

It is stated as coming from the executive office that the Washington authorities have reason to believe that a deal is pending between Spain and Great Britain for the sale of Cuba to the latter, and that the United States are preparing to resist the transfer of the island at all costs. Cuban leaders here insist that Great Britain is after the island and the flying squadron is coming to American waters to be ready for the war with the United States that will inevitably follow the attempted cession of Cuba. Dispatches indicate that the report about holding the troops in readiness is spread all over Florida and the war fever is higher than the day after President Cleveland's Venezuelan message.

Washington, Jan. 20.—From a source very close to the white house word comes that the United States are on the point of recognizing the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents. President Cleveland has hesitated to take so important a step while the official head of the revolution in this country is enjoying the protection of American citizenship. Secretary Olney has not felt so much embarrassment from this cause. He has been for some time in favor of immediate recognition and he is urging the president on. It is understood that the president is at last to issue a proclamation recognizing the potent fact that a state of war exists on the island. This proclamation may be published at any moment.

GEN. GOMEZ DEFEATED.

Spanish Authorities Tell of a Successful Engagement with the Rebels.

Havana, Jan. 20.—It is reported that Colonel Gabillo has fought the forces of the insurgents under Gomez, which have been in Pinar del Rio at Pozo Redondo, north of Batabano, and on the railroad between that point and Havana. The new military line which has been established to keep the insurgents in the Vuelta Abajo district follows this railroad, and it is explained that the insurgents were endeavoring, though unsuccessfully, to break through this line. The troops met the attack of the insurgents on their knees and withheld their fire until the enemy was within a short distance. The report says that the insurgents left eleven killed on the field and nine more were found in a cane field a short distance away. The Spanish artillery did good execution. The insurgents retreated, it is reported, with a numerous loss, while the loss of the troops was insignificant.

Although the report thus states that Gomez was repulsed and defeated, it is reported that he moved afterward south of Melena upon Guinas and in the direction of the village of San Nicolas. These points are east of the military line of Batabano and would indicate that Gomez was successful in his attempt to break through that line.

Gen. Weyler Accepts Command.

Madrid, Jan. 20.—General Valeriano Weyler has accepted the appointment to the governorship of Cuba. He will sail for the island on Friday next. General Suarez Valdez has been appointed second in command. General Weyler will abandon the lenient policy toward the insurgents and adopt a complete change of tactics.

New Candidate for the Presidency.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 20.—Since this city did not get the Democratic National convention, there is now a movement to get the nomination. The Cincinnati delegation that went to Washington last week to present the claims of this city to the National Democratic committee was headed by Melville E. Ingalls, president of the Big Four system, the Chesapeake and Ohio, and other railroads, and he is the man that a combination of business-men and politicians are considering as a candidate who would command the confidence of business interests in these stringent times.

German Official Arrested.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—Supt. Nuernberg of the ammunition factory at Sieburg, in the Rhine province, has been arrested on the charge of having sold drawings of the new arms. Incriminating documents are said to have been found in his possession, and it is believed these documents implicate several other persons whose arrests are daily expected.

EXPECT A LYNCHING IN WEST VIRGINIA

SERIOUS TROUBLE AT PARKERSBURG.

Supposed Negro Assailant of the Daughter of Banker Wetherell Arrested in a Neighboring Town—Jail Strongly Guarded by a Sheriff's Posse—Mob Sullen and Determined.

Fairmont, W. Va., Jan. 20.—A negro, who is supposed to be the assailant of the much-wanted man and will be taken to Parkersburg. Telegrams from Parkersburg indicate that should this suspect prove to be the right man, he will be accorded a warm reception, and if the authorities can be outwitted a lynching will result on his arrival.

CITIZENS STIRRED UP.

Jail at Parkersburg, W. Va., Strongly Guarded—The Sheriff Determined.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 20.—The jail is carefully guarded owing to the attempts and threats of lynching those recently assaulting girls. Several suspects are held across the Pennsylvania line for the assault on Lulu Wetherell a week ago. The officers do not want to bring anyone here charged with the Wetherell attack unless they have evidence, owing to the danger of lynching. The second offender is Charles Russell, charged with attempting the ruin of his 8-year-old stepdaughter. At the preliminary hearing Saturday Justice Beckwith had strongly armed guards present, but while the little girl was testifying he adjourned court quickly and rushed Russell back to jail to prevent the crowd in court capturing the prisoner.

The crowd followed the officers to the jail, but the prisoner was safely landed, and then the guards defied any attack. The crowd was dispersed by the announcement that the assailant of Lulu Wetherell was en route to the city.

There is apprehension of trouble, although every possible effort has been made to prevent it and the sheriff is strongly re-enforced.

FIRE AT INDIANAPOLIS.

Brave Rescue of Sleeping People by a Saloon-keeper.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 20.—Fire was discovered in W. F. Wolfson's tobacco and cigar factory on South Delaware street at an early hour yesterday morning. A number of people live over the factory and when the alarm was turned in the fire had gained great headway, filling the block with smoke. At serious risk to his own life Monk Wilson, a saloon keeper, went from room to room in the building and succeeded in saving every one of the occupants. Two or three persons were so much overcome by the fumes of the burning tobacco and other matter that they were entirely helpless and had to be dragged from their beds to the street below. The last occupant was aroused and placed in safety just as the building collapsed. Wilson was nearly overcome on several occasions during his heroic efforts to save the people, but escaped without injury.

Tramps Will Avoid Centralia, Mo.

Centralia, Mo., Jan. 20.—Three tramps visited this city Saturday, and after becoming somewhat intoxicated began to disturb the peace by entering stores, restaurants and barber shops and threatening the lives of several citizens. They were locked up by the city marshal. Less than an hour later they were taken from the officers by six masked men and escorted to a lake one mile east of the city. There each tramp was given a severe horsewhipping and then released. The tramps immediately fled.

Young Girl Commits Suicide.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 20.—A coroner's jury returned a verdict yesterday that May Bean, a beautiful little girl, 12 years of age, came to her death by swallowing a drachm of strychnine. When Mr. and Mrs. Bean were called to her bed by her groans she pointed to the empty bottle and soon died. The evidence left no doubt the little girl deliberately committed suicide.

Eugene V. Debs' Plans.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20.—Eugene V. Debs said Sunday that he expected to sever his official connection with the American Railway union within the coming year. His purpose was, he said, to devote his time to the labor movement in general and not to any particular organization. He will, however, retain his membership in the American Railway union.

Illinois State Bar Association.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—The Illinois State Bar association will hold its nineteenth annual meeting in the Supreme court room in this city Thursday and Friday of this week. The annual address will be delivered by Judge Oliver A. Harker of Carbondale, president. Prominent lawyers and judges are on the program for addresses on subjects of interest to the association.

Campos Will Visit the United States.

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 20.—General Martinez de Campos is expected by the next steamer to return to Spain through the states and New York. There is some talk here of giving General Campos an ovation when he arrives.

A HEAVY MILWAUKEE FAILURE

Smith & Stoughton's Shoe Store Is Closed by the Sheriff.

Milwaukee, Jan. 20.—[Special.]—Smith & Stoughton's boot and shoe store was closed on attachment today for \$47,000 in favor of Pfister & Vogel.

POPLISTS SELECT ST. LOUIS.

Will Hold Their National Convention in That City July 22.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—A meeting of the executive committee of the Populist national committee was unexpectedly called Saturday night to consider some new propositions presented by the Business Men's League of St. Louis. After discussing them for some time, the committee decided to hold the national convention in St. Louis July 22.

Mr. Snyder of Kansas City presented the following resolution, which, after considerable discussion, was adopted almost unanimously, there being only three dissenting votes: "Resolved, That, in line with the action of our friends at state meetings lately held by the People's party in North Dakota, Illinois and Indiana, the members of the national committee in executive session at St. Louis Jan. 18, desire to express their entire confidence in the wisdom, judgment and integrity of our chairman, H. E. Taubeneck; our secretary, J. H. Turner; our treasurer, W. G. Randen, and each of the other members of the executive committee in their conduct of the People's party business as its representatives, and urge and advise Populists throughout the nation to immediately line up to the support of the executive committee with liberal contributions to sustain its work in the coming campaign."

TO FIGHT TRUSTS.

Illinois Farmers Preparing to Manufacture Their Own Implements.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 20.—What is destined to serve as the greatest and most powerful enemy to trusts and monopolies is the co-operative manufactory which will probably be located in Sangamon county near Springfield. It is the object of the farmers to organize a company under the laws of the state of Illinois to engage in the manufacturing enterprise. The articles which it is contemplated to manufacture will be everything used by a farmer, from a pair of shoes to a steam engine, but at first farm implements will be the principal product.

It is not the plan to establish cut prices on the implements manufactured, but they will be placed on the market at the prevailing price subject to all purchasers and in competition with other manufacturers. The business is to be conducted on a sound business basis and the farmers will not look for their profits in the cheapness of the goods they buy, but in the dividends which the manufactory is expected to pay.

MRS. M'KEE OBJECTS.

Said to Resent the Approaching Marriage of Ex-President Harrison.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The announcement of the engagement of ex-President Harrison and Mrs. Mary Lord Dimmick brings to light a family skeleton. The friends and relatives of the ex-president are already in possession of the facts in regard to a rupture of the happy family relations heretofore existing between General Harrison and his daughter and son. Mrs. McKee will go at once to Indianapolis for the purpose of collecting every article of furniture and personal belongings from the house that was once such a happy home to her. This done, it is declared Mrs. McKee will not again cross the threshold of her father's Indianapolis residence unless in some unlooked-for manner a reconciliation is brought about.

President May Pardon Lewis Redwine.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 20.—It is reported that President Cleveland will grant a pardon to Lewis Redwine, now in the Ohio penitentiary, although Redwine has served little more than one year of his seven years' sentence. Redwine was the center of the biggest sensation Atlanta has ever known. His defalcation of about \$100,000 wrecked the Gate City National bank and was, it has always been believed, responsible for the suicide of Tom Cobb Jackson. Prison physicians say further confinement would undoubtedly result in his death from consumption.

Embassy May Be Suppressed.

London, Jan. 20.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says: "The impending recall of Count Lefebvre de Pezaine, the French Ambassador to the Vatican, is a sop to the Radicals and Socialists, and is the first step toward suppressing the embassy to the Vatican."

Will Demand an Amendment.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—An inspired article in the Neueste Nachrichten says Dr. W. J. Leyds, the Transvaal secretary of state, declares President Kruger demands an amendment of the convention of 1884.

Two Teachers Killed.

London, Jan. 20.—The Daily News, describing the massacre at Marash in November, says the two head teachers in the American academy were killed, one being flayed alive and then cut to pieces.

German Gunboat for Delagoa Bay.

London, Jan. 20.—A Cape Town dispatch to the Times says that the German gunboat Sperber has started for Delagoa bay.

D. H. PULCIFIER DIES VERY SUDDENLY

SHAWANO MAN EXPIRES WITHOUT WARNING.

Heart Disease the Cause of His Demise—Sketch of His Career—Had Been Honored With Many Public Offices—Cartoonist Gillam No More—Other Deaths.

Shawano, Jan. 20.—[Special.]—Post Office Inspector Daniel H. Pulcifer died very suddenly of heart disease here today. Mr. Pulcifer was born in Vergennes, Addison county, Vermont, Nov. 16, 1834 and received no education except such as he acquired while working as an apprentice in a printing office, which trade he entered when 14 years old. He came to Wisconsin in 1855 and located at Oasie, Waushara county and after several removals, settled in Shawano county in Feb., 1865. He has held several offices, serving as assessor, clerk of the court, sheriff, mayor of Shawano, U. S. marshal and post office inspector.

Bernard Gillam Dead.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Jan. 20.—Bernard Gillam, the noted cartoonist of Judge, died Sunday morning at the home of his father-in-law, ex-Senator James Arkell of Canajoharie. His death was the result of an attack of typhoid fever.

Death of Bishop Haygood.

Covington, Ga., Jan. 20.—Bishop Haygood of the M. E. Church South died at his home in Oxford, Ga., Sunday at 2 o'clock from paralysis. Bishop W. W. Duncan of South Carolina will preach his funeral service Tuesday morning.

Governor of Creek Nation Drowned.

Muscogee, I. T., Jan. 20.—Gov. Esparthecher of the Creek Nation was drowned while trying to cross the deep ford near here. The boat was swept down the stream by the current and, striking a log, was overturned.

WILL SAIL WEDNESDAY.

Great Britain's Flying Squadron Ready to Set Sail.

London, Jan. 20.—The flying squadron has now been completed and is lying off Spithead. If the weather is favorable steam will be gotten up today to enable the Admiral to put the squadron in motion. On Tuesday, according to the present program, the Lords of the Admiralty will arrive at Osborne in the Admiralty yacht Enchantress. The fleet will then move down to Cowes Roads to be inspected by the Queen and by the Lords of the Admiralty. The Queen will not go aboard for this ceremony, but will witness the maneuvers from Osborne House.

The squadron will sail on Wednesday, probably for a long cruise, as no torpedo boats have been commissioned to accompany it. Rear Admiral Drake, in command, will only get his final orders for the cruiser at the last moment.

Illinois Coal Miners to Meet.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 21.—A call has been issued for a meeting of the miners of the 3d district of Illinois, to be held in Bartonville to-morrow. It is a mass-meeting and considerable business of importance is expected to be transacted. There are at present more than 100 miners in Peoria county on strike against a reduction in wages, while two other mines have notified their men to accept the reduction or quit work. They will probably choose the latter. It is hoped at the coming meeting to so arrange matters that there can be a resumption of business.

Are Willing to Deposit Gold.

Brooklyn, Jan. 20.—Ex-Congressman W. J. Coombs, president of the Manufacturers' Trust company, of this city, has sent a letter to Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle offering their accumulated gold to be used in payment for bonds. Mr. Coombs says people all over the country are accumulating gold with which to buy the new issue of bonds. This is being drawn from the treasury, and the result may be that the reserve will be reduced to the danger point. "We have no doubt," he said, "that other banking institutions will be willing as we are to give the government the use of their accumulated gold until Feb. 5."

Trans-Mississippi Exposition.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 20.—Plans for the Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition are now fully under way. An association has been organized and capital stock to the amount of \$10,650 subscribed. This was done at an enthusiastic meeting at the Commercial Club rooms Saturday night, which was attended by a large number of prominent and energetic business men of the city. The date of the exposition was fixed for August, September and October, 1898. A board of directors was elected.

Pacific Cable to Australia.

Sydney, N. S. W., Jan. 20.—A conference of the postmaster-generals from Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and Adelaide, the latter representing also West Australia and Tasmania, with Sir W. C. Reeves, the new agent general in London for New Zealand, met here on Friday and Saturday and adopted resolutions that Saul Samuel and Duncan Gillies should be nominated to represent Australasia on the Pacific Cable Commission in London and that they be requested to consult the agent general on all important points.

REV. MR. BARRINGTON AND CULTURE CLUB

CHRIST CHURCH RECTOR
SPEAKS OF HIS CHURCH.

It Has Come Down From the Days of the Apostles, He Declares—Outlines the Doctrinal Basis Given—Other News Pertaining To The Church.

Rev. Arthur H. Barrington spoke before the Culture club in All Souls church Sunday evening. His audience was the largest that has yet been brought together by any of the club meetings, Christ church being present almost in a body.

Mr. Barrington began by rejecting the term "Episcopal Christianity." He pointed out the difference between church and sect. The spread of the church from Jerusalem to Rome, Greece, Asia Minor, Macedonia and Britain before the year 70 was outlined and the line connecting the church in America with the church in Jerusalem was traced. "As in the earliest days," said Mr. Barrington, "so we hold today, that there is one church, it is the Apostolic and all who accept Christ and are baptized in the name of the holy Trinity are members."

The four great features of the primitive church as outlined by St. Luke were found in the Episcopal church today, Mr. Barrington insisted. The doctrinal teachings of the church were reviewed briefly, the conclusion being "In essentials unity, in non essentials liberty, in all things charity."

Mr. Barrington was warmly thanked by Mr. Southworth in behalf of the Culture Club for his address.

Congregational Church.
Rev. Mr. Salmon, of Beloit, occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church yesterday morning, urging in his sermon that his hearers have freedom of spirit.

Liberty, stands for opportunity. Freedom, our power to grasp the opportunity. A man has liberty in this country, yet love rich and poor. There is something in the man which keeps him from being free. He has social liberty, yet he is not free to enter any society, as there casts in society. The negro has political liberty, yet in the south he is not free to vote as he chooses. Our real freedom comes when we make the very most of ourselves spiritually, socially and physically.

The Congregationalists are especially favored in being able to secure Prof. Blaisdell, of Beloit, for both morning and evening church services. K. A. Burrell, the children's evangelist, will hold meetings at the Congregational church, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week. He is highly spoken of and is now holding successful meetings in Beloit.

First M. E. Church.

In the evening the pastor, Rev. A. Porter, preached on the subject, "How Can I Secure the Necessary Qualifications For My Work?" He took as his text, James 1-5, and said, "If any lack wisdom let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him." He showed the need of wisdom in facing the adversary, in winning souls, and in all our work. If we feel our need and would have wisdom, we must ask it of God. We should ask reverently, with confidence, knowing He gives to all.

The subject of the evening discourse was "A Slim Chance for Impenitent Sinners," taking as his text, 1 Peter 4-15.

The Epworth League devotional service was led by Mrs. E. F. Hall, the subject of the evening being "Persistence in Prayer."

The usual midweek prayer service will be held on Thursday evening.

Baptist Church.

Dr. Hodge took as his morning text Eph. 2:8, "For by Grace are ye Saved Through Faith and That Not of Yourself, it is the Gift of God." The thoughts of the sermon were grouped around the three words "saved," "grace" and "faith." Saved is the most important word in heaven's vocabulary. Salvation is more important than wealth or worldly distinction. It is by grace we are saved, not by works, penance or morality. Faith is necessary on our part in order to receive salvation.

In the evening practical thoughts were presented regarding the manner of lives we ought to lead now in view of the new heaven and the new earth which God has promised.

The gospel meetings will be continued during the present week with preaching each evening, except Saturday. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come.

The Christian Endeavor Work.

J. C. Kline led the Endeavor meeting.

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ing at the Congregational Church, bringing out many helpful thoughts on the secret of a strong life. Prayer, perseverance, determination to do, having a mission in life and carrying it out, being on the alert to make the most of every opportunity.

At the Endeavor meeting at the Baptist church interesting historical sketches of the work of the various missionary boards were presented as follows:

Congregational board, by Kathryn Shupbell.

Presbyterian board, by Margaret Patterson.

Baptist board, by Eliza Stoddard.

Beth Palmer presented a very hopeful outlook for the future of missions. C. P. Peers spoke on the good citizenship movement, a movement worthy of the hearty support of every person who desires the moral improvement of the city.

ICE COMPANIES ARE KEPT BUSY.

Many Private Enterprises Require the Frozen Blocks for Next Summer.

During the past week both the Ferris and the People's Ice Companies have been rushed to fill their orders for filling the houses controlled by the brewery, cold storage and ice cream firms.

"As long as I have been in the business, I never saw a job take less time than it did to fill the Conrad cold storage," remarked Foreman James Brown, of the Ferris Ice Company. "We started to work early one morning last week, and in just seventeen hours we had the house filled with ninety-three cords of clear, heavy ice."

The Buob Brewing Company out and store their own ice. It is taken from the pond in the rear of the brewery and as the pond is supplied from springs it makes their ice of the first quality.

HOW GEN. DOE WON HIS SPURS.

Milwaukee Sentinel Says Maj. Steele's Attack is an Insult.

It appears that Representative Steele, of Indiana, who was formerly an officer in the regular army, does not approve of our Gen. Doe as assistant secretary of war, says The Milwaukee Sentinel. He thinks a "military man" ought to hold that position and speaks of our Gen. Doe as "a civilian." Heavens and earth! Joe Doe a civilian! Does not Maj. Steele know that Joe Doe won his title of general in arduous and perilous service on Governor Peck's staff, and demonstrated his great qualities as a strategist by the part he took in planning the roster scheme, which, but for an unexpected concatenation of "inextricable interwinnings," would have been one of the most successful raids ever attempted?

MERRY TIME FOR YOUNG FOLK

Miss Edna and Mr. Len Johnson Entertain Friends.

It was a small but merry gathering that assembled Saturday evening at the Cornelia street home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Johnson, the affair being a progressive cinch company given by Miss Edna and Len Johnson. The first honors were captured by Miss Mabel Harper and Charles Tallman, and at 11 o'clock a tempting supper was served. Those present were:

Misses—Edith Hayward, Jessie London, Josephine Farnsworth, Alma Gilling, Lottie Walton.

Messrs.—Charles Tallman, George Dower, Morgan Wise, Fred Leahy, Frank Kanous, Charles Reynolds, Frank Sutherland.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

ARCHIE REID & Co's ten dollar jackets at \$3.87.

EVERY kind of article you can think of goes at cost. F. S. Winslow.

ARCHIE REID & Co. today and every day this week, sixteen dollar coats at \$6.87.

FIFTY watch charms go this week, from ten cents up to one dollar. H. F. Nott.

THE stock of the former Lowell Annex must be sold at once; cost marks on everything. F. S. Winslow.

THIRTY gentleman's watch chains, rolled gold and gold filled, this week, from 5 cents to \$3. H. F. Nott.

We offer for a few days only, all our Middlesex hose at 10 cents per pair. They are as good as any 25 cent kind that can be bought in town. T. J. Zeigler.

YOUR necessity—Our opportunity came to us with your wants in rubbers of all kinds. We are prepared for you whenever you come; you find them only at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's.

A PUZZLE—It's a puzzle to many a retailer to know why we sell so cheap. We will tell them; buy in large quantities and pay cash for them; that's why factories are so anxious to sell us. Everyone knows what cash will do. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

The ladies of St. John's German Lutheran church will give one of their delicious German suppers at F. S. Winslow's old grocery store, River street, Wednesday evening, January 22. They will serve to their patrons among other delicacies turkey, gesspikto, kalbsleber, kartofoelsalat, berliner, schinken, etc. All friends invited to a good rich German supper. These suppers are known as the best for 25 cents.

Best School Shoes Made.
That is the kind the A. Richardson Shoe Co. carries, all prices and kinds, but we give the best kind for the price that can be bought in the city.

Gentlemen!
You know how you are getting a bargain when you get a pair of those \$4.00 calf-welt shoes for \$3.00. Three styles—square, narrow square or pointed toes. You ought to see them. A Richardson Shoe Co.

JOHN LIVICK DIED BY HIS OWN HAND

ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE WAS
NOT SUCCESSFUL.

But Inflammation of The Brain Ensued and Caused His Demise—Was an Inmate of the Mendota Hospital—F. C. Perry, a County Pioneer is Dead.

John Livick, whose home was a few miles west of Edgerton, died at the Mendota asylum, aged thirty-five years. The young man had been acting queerly for some time, and about a month ago was sent to Mendota for treatment. He told the attendant he did not care for dinner, and was allowed to return to his ward while the other patients were eating. It appears that while alone he went to the wash room, put his head through a towel that hung from a roller, twisted it tightly about his neck and deliberately let his body hang suspended with the intent of suicide. When the attendants found him he was not dead but insensible and it required a good deal of labor to revive him. Inflammation of the brain developed and death came in a short time.

Frederick Clark Perry.

Frederick Clark Perry, who voted for William Henry Harrison, and one of the pioneers of Rock county, died at Beloit, at the age of 81 years. He was born in New York and came to Beloit forty-four years ago. By occupation Mr. Perry was a cooper and carpenter, and for many years he conducted a cooperage business, a line of work taken up by his sons.

J. G. Bennett.

J. G. Bennett, one of the oldest settlers of Rock county, died at Lima Center, Saturday. Mr. Bennett was the father of Dr. Bennett, of Brodhead, Wis.

CONGRESSMAN COOPER ON BONDS.

New York Journal Interviews the Wisconsin Members of the House.

The New York Journal yesterday polled the house on the new bond issue asking two questions. Is this a popular loan? and "What would you propose to make it one?"

In answer it quotes Congressman Cooper of Wisconsin as saying: "1. No. 2. There should have been a price at which the bonds could have been sold to the people of America without being obliged to bid against a syndicate. The few millions of premium that the government might secure from a rich syndicate is of little account when compared with the importance of having the bonds held in this country by our own people so the interest might be distributed here as in the case with money paid pensioners."

The Washington correspondent of the San Francisco papers are giving Congressman Cooper a great deal of free advertising. It is said that on the Pacific coast Mr. Cooper is regarded as one of the biggest men in congress. His speech on the Pacific railway funding bill in the last congress did the business for him. It killed the bill and it was acknowledged to be one of the ablest speeches delivered in the house at that session. His distinguished services on the committee entitled him to appointment as chairman at this session, but Speaker Reed did not seem to be of that opinion, for instead of making him chairman he removed him from the committee and placed him on the comparatively insignificant committee on the levees and improvements of the Mississippi. Mr. Cooper makes no complaint, but the people of the Pacific coast do not hesitate to charge that the Huntington influence caused his removal in retaliation for his brilliant and effective speech.

STATE CONVENTION MARCH 18
Call Has Been Issued—Rock County Gets Twenty-Four Delegates.

In accordance with usage and by direction of the state central committee, a convention of the republican electors of the state of Wisconsin will be held in the city of Milwaukee on the 18th day of March, 1896, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of electing four delegates and four alternates from the state at large to the republican national convention to be held at St. Louis, Missouri, on the 16th day of June, 1896, and to nominate twelve electors of president and vice president of the United States, to be voted for at the general election in November next; also to select a republican state central committee and elect a chairman of said committee, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

The change in the basis of representation recommended by the last Republican State Convention, and the resolutions adopted by the Republican State Central Committee, entitle the several assembly districts in the state to one delegate for every two hundred and fifty (250) votes or major part thereof cast at the last preceding presidential election.

Special attention is called to the fact that, an accordance with resolution recommended by the State Convention and formally adopted by the State Central Committee, in electing delegates to the State Convention in counties having more than one assembly district, the unit basis shall be the assembly district; that in all other cases the county shall be each unit, except in Milwaukee county; therefore Rock county will be entitled to nine delegates from the first district, eight from the second, and seven from the third and twenty-four in all.

The attention of chairman of the republican county committee is hereby

called to the fact that, by resolution adopted at the last republican state conventions, all county conventions to elect delegates to state conventions must be called on a notice of not less than four weeks; all town or ward caucuses, as a primary to a state convention, on a notice of not less than ten days; and that notice of the meeting of such convention or caucuses shall be given in the usual manner. The chairman of the several county committees are requested to see that said notices are properly given, and the county conventions are called to elect delegates to the state conventions in accordance with the foregoing.

As the state central committee acts as the committee on credentials, it is requested that credentials of delegates elected, duly certified by chairman and secretary of county conventions, be forwarded to the secretary at republican state central committee headquarters in Milwaukee, immediately upon their election, in all cases giving their names in full and postoffice addresses.

BETTER TRADE IN LEAF AHEAD

Edgerton Reporter Says the Old Stocks Are Being Cleaned Up.

A gratifying feature of the increased movement of cured leaf the past few weeks is the assurance that the stock of old leaf is being rapidly depleted, says The Edgerton Reporter. What has congested the market in a great measure is the fact that large stocks of two or more crops of not over choice goods lay back with the growers in most of the cigar leaf producing states. Until this surplus could be worked off in some manner, either for export or home consumption there was little hope of securing remunerative prices, either for what was on hand or to be produced. For this reason the acreage has been reduced largely in the cigar leaf states as the prices have declined. But with the surplus fast being reduced in the growing districts, the incubus is being removed and prospects for more remunerative prices becomes brighter. If the movement that has taken place the past six months continues for another half year to come, old stocks in the hands of Wisconsin growers will be pretty well cleaned out. Then we shall certainly look for better times for the tobacco grower.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

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LIGHT Infantry drill.

CHRIST church cadets will drill.

MEETING of the city physicians.

MEETING at the Baptist church.

CHOIR Union at the Congregational church.

ORIENTAL Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias.

MEETING of the Business Men's Association.

ORGANIZATION of a physical class at the Y. M. C. A. building.

New Strength

Is given tired, nervous women by Hood's Sarsaparilla. "I had rheumatism and catarrh badly, but since taking 12 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla I am a different woman. I take Hood's Sarsaparilla every spring and am as strong and well as a woman of 35. A doctor is never called into my home, as all of my family use Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills." MRS. ALICE V. ENRIGHT, 145 Jay St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Makes Rich Red Blood. \$1; six for \$5.

Hood's Pills

cure all liver ills, biliousness, headaches, etc.

Closing Out

AT
1-2 PRICE.

S. D. GRUBB, Clothier and

Shoe Dealer, Grubb Block,

W. Milwaukee St., is closing

out his large new stock

at one-half price.

\$20 Suits and Usters,	.....	\$10.00
\$15 Suits and Usters,	.....	7.50
\$10 Suits and Overcoats,	.....	5.00
\$5 Suits and Usters,	.....	2.50
\$6 Boys' Suits and Usters,	.....	3.00
\$3 Boys' Suits and Reefers,	.....	1.50
\$5 fine Wool Pants,	.....	2.50
\$3 fine Wool Pants,	.....	1.50
\$1.50 working Pants,	.....	.75c
\$7 Mackintoshes,	.....	3.50
\$2 duck lined Coats,	.....	1.00
\$2 Cardigan knit Jackets,	.....	1.00
\$1 Cardigan knit Jackets,	.....	.50c
\$1 wool Sweaters,	.....	.50c
\$1 wool Overshirts,	.....	.50c
\$1 Boys' wool Waists,	.....	.50c
\$2 stiff and soft Hats,	.....	.98c
\$1 silk plush Caps,	.....	.45c
\$1 fleeced Underwear,	.....	.50c
.50c fleeced Underwear,	.....	.25c
\$1 white Dress Shirts,	.....	.50c
.50c white Dress Shirts,	.....	.25c
.20c fine lined collars,	.....	.10c
.50c silk neckwear,	.....	.25c
.50c silk suspenders,	.....	.25c
.25c black and tan Sox,	.....	.12c
.15c black and tan Sox,	.....	.08c
.25c linen handkerchiefs,	.....	.12c
\$1.50 arctic overshoes,	.....	.98c
75c storm rubbers,	.....	.48c

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.
THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 28, S. MAIN ST., JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP.

A Trade Event

That has never been eclipsed. Such will be the NEXT SALE at this store, commencing Wednesday morning the 22nd, and ending Saturday night, the 25th.

This Sale of White Goods

and Embroideries...

Will be an important one. For some months past we have been collecting good things in EMBROIDERIES and WHITE GOODS whenever we found any especially great bargains. The time has come to let them out, and it will pay every woman in Janesville to call and see what we offer.

71-2c-

At this price 100 pieces of WHITE GOODS will go. Not a piece worth less than 10c, and many should be 12½c, 15 to 20c. The lot consists of muslins in stripes, checks, bars, white P. K.'s, &c.

10,000 yards

of HAMBURG EMBROIDERIES. We have arranged them in lots, and must own that it is an extraordinary offering—in fact, the greatest in our history.

Lot 1—3c; 2,000 yards.
Lot 2—5c; 1,500 yards.
Lot 3—6c; 2,500 yards.
Lot 4—8c; 1,200 yards.
Lot 5—10c; 900 yards.
Lot 6—12½c; 500 yards.
Lot 7—15c; 600 yards.
Lot 8—18c; 500 yards.
Lot 9—20c; 300 yards.

These Embroideries run from narrow to 27 inches in width.

Also—

We have received an unusually fine line of Embroideries in Hamburg, Nainsook and Swiss. The line was selected with all possible care and is one that we point to with pride. Women in quest of the newest creations can find them here.

REMEMBER THE NUMBER

29

North Main Street.

High Grade Fresh Meat

AT CHICAGO PACKING HOUSE PRICES

30 pounds meat for - - - \$1.00
Shoulder Steak per lb - - - .15
Pork Shoulder Roast per lb. - - - .15
Pork Roast per lb. - - - .15
Corn Beef, per lb. - - - 3 to 4
Roast Pork, per lb. - - - .25
Pork Steak, 3 lbs. for - - - 25
Leg Mutton, Mutton chops lb. 10
Salt Pork, per lb - - - .15
Lard, 3 lbs. for - - - 25

OTHER MEATS IN PROPORTION
TONY'S Market No. 29 Main St.
Nels Carlson's old stand.

Quaker Bread. Its Famous.

The Only genuine Quaker Bread in the city is for sale by

R. B. Harper,
C. A. Thompson,
Hayner & Grubb,
J. H. Parker,
A. C. Munger,
Wm. B. Harvey,
Ed. Shattuck,
Made by PAUL GEHRKE.

REMOVED

155 West Milwaukee St.

Fred Feltz,

The Practical Tailor

THE VERY

Latest Patterns

in imported and domestic

fabrics now on hand.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP

Satisfaction guaranteed in

Style, Prices and Finish.

FRED FELTZ,

INMAN AND BOLLARD

ALL KINDS OF

ARCHITECTURAL CABINET AND DECORATIVE

GRILL WORK AND WOOD WORK.

4 N. RIVER ST.

JANESVILLE, WIS.

SURVIVAL

OF

THE

FITTEST.

We bow down to 18c.

Indications are that it will be—

A more prosperous year than the last.

We hope so and to that end are we—

Looking; and to start it right we—

Will sell all of our winter goods—

Such as Gloves, Mittens, Caps, —

Underwear and Hosiery at or —

Nearly Cost. Look in our window —

And on the prices of a few things —

of January, 1896, at 18c each a lot of that day —

Low prices on suits and —

Overcoats until March 1st.

PRICES

ARE

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AT

KNEFF & ALLEN'S.

Special Tax Notice.

State of Wisconsin, ss

County of Rock.

City Treasurer's Office,

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

EN. DOE DOESN'T KNOW WHY

in give No Reason Why Major Steele Should Attack Him.

Assistant Secretary of War Doe said a reporter that he had nothing to say regarding the charges made by representative Steele on the floor of the house yesterday. General Doe said, however, that he thought Major Steele was in great error in his interpretation of the purpose of congress in creating the office of assistant secretary of war. General Doe said he hoped that the Steele resolution could be passed by congress in order to give Secretary Lamont a chance to reply to the question as to the wisdom of having the duties now performed by the assistant secretary performed by the adjutant-general or some other army officer. It was aimed in the debates in congress when the office was created six years ago that the assistant secretary would relieve the secretary of the details of the work in relation to river and harbor matters. Secretary Proctor proposed at the time to turn over such matters to Grant, who as first appointed assistant secretary, at Gen. Casey, then at the head of the corps of engineers, made such a vigorous argument against reporting any one but the secretary himself at but little work in that direction as done by the assistant and in fact during Gen. Doe's term the duties of the office have had more to do with the army than with the work of the engineer corps. Gen. Doe said he did not know Maj. Steele even by sight. He knew of no reason why the Indiana representative should thus attack him.

PRINTING AT HAND TIMES PRICES

Gazette Job Rooms Set the Pace for High Grade Work.

Printing will never be cheaper in Janesville. It will pay business men to take advantage of the chance, and order for a year ahead. The prices include all press work, standard quality stock, in fact high grade work in every respect. These are the figures: Envelopes, white wove full government, per thousand.....\$1.00
Statements, size 8 1/2 by 8 1/2, first class stock, per thousand.....1.00
11 Heads, sixth sheet size, per thousand.....1.00
11 Heads, quarter sheet, per thousand.....1.25
11 Heads, third sheet, per thousand.....1.50
11 Heads, half sheet, per thousand.....1.75
11 Heads, best Puritan linen, per thousand.....1.50
11 Heads, per thousand.....1.00
Special lot of No. 11 high cut XX Manila envelope, suitable for mailing documents and papers, per thousand.....1.75
Other work at proportionate prices.
The Gazette job rooms are equipped for all classes of printing—commercial work, catalogue work, book work, posters, and color work. Special facilities for turning out handsome invitations, calling cards, etc. Figures given on lithographing and seal embossing.

Home Seekers' Excursion to the South.

On January 14, 28, February 11 and March 10, 1896, the North-Western line will sell Home Seekers' Excursion tickets to a large number of points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—He fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking those little pills. C. Stevens.

Excursion Rates.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell home seekers' tickets at excursion rates January 14 and 28, February 11 and March 10. Return may be made January 17, 21, 24, 28, 31; February 4, 7, 11 and 14. The above dates apply to tickets sold on January 14. Other return dates will extend to April 10. Tickets sold to points in Southern States and Arizona. Rate to be one fare plus \$2 for round trip.

Business Men's Association.

A meeting of the Business Men's Association is hereby called for Monday evening, January 20th at 8 o'clock at the old rooms for the purpose of amending the by-laws and such other business as may come before the meeting. W. T. VANKIRK, President.

WANTED.

WANTED—Place to work mornings, evenings and Saturdays, for my board. Address "Student," Box 160, Janesville, P. O.

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. John Thorpe, 53 Prospect Avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT—A single store, best business location in Beloit; 238 1/2 street. Apply Rev. W. F. Brown, Beloit, Wis.

FOR RENT—Cheap—Upright piano. Inquire at this office.

LOST—A gold link watch chain. Finder please return to this office.

FOR SALE—A new 7-room house; 122 Pearl street.

FOR RENT—Nine room house No. 2 Caroline street, Second ward.

ONE TO LOAN—Whitehead, Matheson & Smith.

FOR SALE, VERY CHEAP—A square piano in first class condition. Enquire at Gazette office.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—A black Phalarope coat, four years old. Address "D," Gazette.

C. A. LIBBY AGAIN IN THE HARNESS

Evansville Newspaper Man Resumes Charge of His Two Publications.

C. A. Libby, of the Evansville Enterprise and Tribune, is back in the editorial harness after having been engaged in other business for some time past. His old friends were evidently glad to have him return as the following card of thanks in the last issue of the paper shows:

"We wish to express our most sincere thanks to the many friends and kind neighbors who have so generously and honestly called and settled with us, and it will be with still greater gratitude that we shall be pleased to meet all others who are indebted to us as early as possible. Kindly yours, C. A. LIBBY."

Editor Libby takes up the editorial pen with renewed energy and proposes to make his paper better than ever. In his announcements are the following paragraphs:

"It is reported that I have offered The Enterprise office for sale which is a fact, but being unable to do so I have resumed full possession and control of the same and shall continue to run it to the best of my ability as well as the best I can employ."

"We beg the forbearance of our patrons this issue, as we only resumed control of this office Monday, which gives us a short time to give you a full sample sheet as we expect to issue in the future."

PRICES IN JANESVILLE MARKETS

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

WHEAT—No. 1 per bushel.....\$1.00
WHEAT—No. 2 per bushel.....95c
WHEAT—No. 3 per bushel.....90c
BUCKWHEAT—No. 1 per bushel.....85c
BUCKWHEAT—No. 2 per bushel.....80c
RYE—No. 1 per bushel.....75c
RYE—No. 2 per bushel.....70c
BARLEY—No. 1 per bushel.....65c
BARLEY—No. 2 per bushel.....60c
OATS—No. 1 per bushel.....55c
OATS—No. 2 per bushel.....50c
CORN—No. 1 per bushel.....45c
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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1732—Richard Henry Lee, statesman, born; died 1794.
 1734—Robert Morris, financier and "signer," born in Liverpool; died 1806.
 1806—Nathaniel Parker Willis born in Portland, Me.; died on same date in 1867.
 1814—David Wilmet, congressman and author of the "Wilmet Proviso," born; died 1868.
 1864—Ex-Governor William Gilpin of Colorado died at Denver; born 1818. General Emile Mellinet, a French veteran of the wars of Napoleon I and of the second empire, died at Nantes; born 1758.
 1895—Professor Augustus C. Merriam of Columbia college died at Athens; born 1843.

PHYSICIANS TO MAKE UP A LIST

People Who Do Not Pay Their Bills Will Be Posted.

Janesville physicians will gather at the municipal court room tonight, and exchange information. The result will be the forming of a list of those who do not pay their bills, a copy of which will be given each of the physicians. This move has been contemplated for some time and at tonight's meeting it will all be arranged.

"I haven't a doubt but what we lose more money by dead beats than any other line of business in the city," remarked a physician this morning, "and for this very reason we intend to take action for our own benefit. This move will not effect the poor, for they will be locked after just the same, but we are after those who earn \$2 or \$3 a day and refuse to pay."

THIRTEEN CASES FOR JUDGE SALE

Rather a Short Calendar for Tomorrow's Term of Court.

There are thirteen cases on the calendar of the county court for the special term to be held tomorrow, they being as follows:

□Hearing Proof of Will—Mary Russell and Edward T. Hamilton.

Hearing Petition for Administration—Isabella Kelly and Benjamin Ward.

Hearing Claims—George Terwilliger, Edward L. Holmes, and August Zilley.

Hearing Administration Account—David Jones and Nancy A. McLean.

Hearing Executor's Account—Harriet W. Wheeler, Joseph Bevans and Jesse McQuigg.

Hearing Executrix' Account—Alexander Thom.

STUDENT FRANK BUELL BETTER

Man Who Went Crazy Will Recover—Measles the Cause.

Frank Buell, the Beloit College student who became insane one night last week, and was taken to his home at Genoa Junction, has regained his mental faculties. His trouble was the result of a severe case of measles this winter, and his physicians say he will soon be all right.

DEATH ENDS EARTHLY WOES

James Hunt.

James Hunt died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Terwilliger, on Highland avenue, at 7 o'clock Sunday morning, aged eighty-six years, the direct cause of his death being a fall received a week ago. The funeral will be held at the residence at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. Rev. V. E. Southworth will officiate, and the pall bearers will be Robert Horn, O. I. Whiffen, George Scarcliff and O. L. De Forest.

Funeral of Michael Murphy.

The funeral of Michael Murphy, of the town of Plymouth, was held from St. Augustine's church, at Footville, this morning at 10 o'clock. The pall bearers were George Sennett, James Murphy, Edward Quinn and Thomas Vail. The singers were Mr. Kneff and Miss Marie Muellenschlager, with Miss Kittie Joyce, organist. The interment was made in Mount Olivet.

Mrs. Robert Krahmer.

Mrs. Robert Krahmer died at 3:30 o'clock Sunday morning of pneumonia, aged thirty one years, her demise occurring at her home on Second street in the Fourth ward. Four children survive the youngest being but one week old. The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

McKinley as a Private Citizen.

Columbus, O., Jan. 20.—A business letter from ex-Governor McKinley to a gentleman here bears the simple imprint, "William McKinley, Canton, Ohio." It is understood that he will not engage in the practice of law or any other occupation for the present, and will have no other office than his study in his residence. Ex-Governor McKinley said he intended to employ no secretary, and would have no need of one at Canton.

To Make Convention Arrangements.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—Some of the members of the Republican National committee's subcommittee on convention are expected to arrive today, before the meeting with the local committee, to make arrangements for the convention.

HERRMANN HAS A LARGE COMPANY

Takes Seventeen People To Help Him in His Performance.

Herrmann's entertainment is on a large scale of magnitude this season. It takes seventeen people to assist him perform his feats. None of these attaches are ever seen by the public, yet each moment every one is engaged in assisting the magician during every instant of the performance. It takes the largest baggage cars he can purchase to transport his paraphernalia, having been especially built for him. He will arrive in Janesville tomorrow morning and will be seen at the Myers Grand tomorrow evening.

TOOK VOWS AT CUPID'S ALTAR

Smith-Williams.

Herman W. Smith, the foreman for the Janesville Water Company, and Miss Aletta E. Williams, daughter of George Williams, were married at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Dr. M. G. Hodge, at 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Congratulations are now in order, and many friends will extend them well wishes.

Cash for F. R. M. Coupons.

The following merchants will accept F. R. M. coupons:

Prentice & Evenson,
 W. T. Sherer & Co.,
 E. B. Heimstreet,
 E. O. Smith & Co.,
 George King & Co.,
 Janesville Steam Laundry,
 J. B. Minor,
 J. D. Holmes,
 Stearns & Baker,
 Rich & Davis.

"By Order of the Court."

We are instructed by the court to sell every pair of \$3.50 hand turned shoes in our stock for \$3, for the next 30 days. All Tokio welts with dog-gone tips are to share the same fate. Come to the sale. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Don't Knock.

We don't expect you to knock when you come to our store. We want you to feel at home, that you have sort of interest in our business. We shall always try to make it for your benefit to make your headquarters with us. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Shoe Infirmary.

We have in connection with our store a first class shoe hospital. Old shoes are treated in a skillful manner by an experienced workman. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Furnace.

We have one second hand furnace in fine condition that is for sale at the very low price of \$30.00. Lowell Hardware Co.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

SAMPLE sales. A. Richardson Shoe Company.

SPECIAL sale of rings, chains and charms this week. H. F. Nott.

BEST assortments. Go early. At the Annex cost sale. F. S. Winslow.

YOUR money buys large lots of goods at the Annex cost sale. F. S. Winslow.

SAMPLES! Samples!! Samples!!! Bargains! Bargains!! Bargains!!! A. Richardson Shoe Co.

OTHERS try, we succeed in turning out more high grade goods than all the rest. Why? Because it pays to sell a good article at a low price. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

BEST school shoes made that is what we have in stock, and almost every one knows it, and for the few that do not is why we take this method to let every one know the truth. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

SAMPLE sale of fine ladies' shoes, made by the Richardson-Norcross Co. All nice clean shoes, at way-down prices. See them if you are in need of shoes. H. Richardson Shoe Company.

We have an immense stock of rubber goods, but the prices we have on them will sell them for they are of the best makes and we have attached a price that others can not make you. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

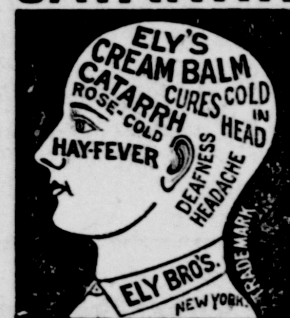
Pat Dorsey and Thomas Hines of this city and John P. Powers of Afton were defendants before the municipal court Saturday. Hines and Powers were complained of by Officer Hogan and the farmer was sentenced to thirty days in jail, he being a vagrant and a common drunkard, while Powers, who had been drunk and disorderly, got a one day sentence. Dorsey was charged with being drunk and disorderly by Chief Acheson and was given a three day's sentence.

Manitoba School Bill Drafted.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 20.—The subcommittee appointed to draft a remedial bill restoring separate schools to the Roman Catholics of Manitoba have prepared a measure which will be submitted to the cabinet to-day.

CATARRH CATARRH

is a Local Disease and is the result of colds and sudden changes in temperature. It can be cured by a pleasant remedy which is applied directly into the nostrils. Being quickly absorbed it gives relief at once. Ely's Cream Balm is the most thorough of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, always pain and inflammation, relieves the sores, protects the membrane from colds, restores the senses of taste and smell. Price 50c at Druggists or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 16 Warren Street, New York.



COLD IN HEAD

The Greatest

CLOAK SALE.

THAT JANESVILLE EVER SAW.

A big purchase for cash of 1000 new garments will be offered at less than fifty cents on the dollar. Ladies', misses and children's coats, and every one new and up to date. The sale opens Saturday morning, Jan. 18th, and continues to Saturday evening, January 27th.

Lot 1.

Jackets,
 Capes,
 Misses Coats,
 Children's Coats.

All new and nobby styles such as have \$3.87
 retailed all season at \$7.50 to \$10 and
 they go in this great sale at.....

Lot 2.

An immense collections of all that's new in
 ripple back, mandolin and melon sleeves,

Jackets,

In Cheviots, Boucles,
 Meltons, Coverts,

Also many derirable things in CAPES, \$6.87
 garments which have been sold all season
 at \$12 to \$16.50, but for this great sale
 your pick for.....

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, JANUARY 18TH.

You can see the garments in the windows, on the counters, on the racks, and we want you to come in and ask us questions about them.

NOTE--On account of this sale there will be no other special sale on next Wednesday, and also during this sale we will discontinue the giving of a muff free with every garment.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

Grand Sample Sale of

400 = Pairs of Ladies' SAMPLE SHOES. = 400!

All new and of the latest styles and patterns. We bought them from the Richardson-Norcross Co.'s factory and bought them cheap too. Think of it! 400 different selections. No two patterns alike. Isn't that an incentive to buyers? We propose to give our customers the benefit of this sale.

WE SELL THEM LIKE THIS:

\$4.00 Shoes go for \$2.75. \$3.50 Shoes go for \$2.50
 \$3.00 " " \$2.00. \$2.50 " " \$1.75.

Welts, Turns and McKays. Don't confound this sale with the closing out sales of any old goods for these shoes were all made for the traveling salesmen for last season's trade. You'll enjoy looking them over anyway.

In Connection With This Sample Sale

we are having a reduction sale of everything in the house.

WE WANT ROOM and

WE WANT MONEY.

so bring your money, buy shoes, and it leaves us room.

The A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE RELIABLE SHOE MEN.

H.D.M'KINNEY GIVEN A GOVERNMENT JOB

HE IS NOW AN INSPECTOR OF
CAVALRY HORSES.

Position is a Non-Political One and Runs For an Indefinite Time—Duties Require a Reliable and Competent Man—Will Not Leave Janesville.

Henry D. McKinney now holds a position under the United States government and has entered into his new duties.

The place is that of government inspector of horses bought by the war department for the cavalry service, and the honor came to Mr. McKinney without the asking.

The first knowledge that Mr. McKinney had of the matter came in telegrams from Assistant Secretary of War Doe and Senator John L. Mitchell asking him if he would accept and before he could answer his commission came. The appointment is a non-political one, Mr. McKinney having notified the war department that he would not accept it if it was.

It is not made for any definite length of time but the appointee will serve until he is removed for cause or resigns. Mr. McKinney's part of duty will probably be at Chicago, although he is liable to be ordered to San Francisco New York or New Orleans on a moment's notice. His duties are to examine all horses offered to the government on contracts. He deals only with the size, color and adaptability, a veterinary surgeon who works with him passing on their physical condition.

War Scare Has Some Effect.

While the present war scare was in a measure responsible for Mr. McKinney's appointment, it was not directly the cause. The government is "brushing up" in all branches of the service, and many foreign nations have representatives at the Chicago horse markets. Uncle Sam wanted a thoroughly competent man to pass upon the animals upon which his cavalrymen would ride, and Mr. McKinney was selected. The war department was much pleased with his first day's work, as the first lot of horses brought before him—twenty-three in number—Mr. McKinney refused twenty. The position is one where the inspector must be strictly honest and thoroughly competent and in Mr. McKinney just such a man has been secured. There is not a better posted horseman in the United States than he, and he will perform his duties without fear or favor.

The salary of the office is \$1,800 with an allowance for expenses, as Mr. McKinney is on "detached service." Mr. McKinney will not be compelled to give up his residence in this city, as he can work from Janesville as well as from Chicago.

BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

CLEMON's orchestra play at Avon 7 o'clock.

Cost prices at the old Annex. F. S. Winslow.

HALL's Family Pills at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

CHARLTON & Dawson will ship live-stock to Chicago tonight.

SPECIAL bargains on everything at the cost sale. F. S. Winslow.

ANYTHING you want, at cost. The former Annex. F. S. Winslow.

THE celebrated Hall's Catarrh Cure sold at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

THE Fortuando 5 and 10 cent cigars are leaders; at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

WE sell Hall's Catarrh Cure and Hall's Family Pills. C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

ONE young man bought twenty-six tickets this morning, for Hermann's entertainment.

"MAJOR" BURKE formerly of the Myers House in this city is now located at Sheboygan.

THE first new lot of wash dress goods of the season at Bort, Bailey & Co's. See their large ad.

THE first car of Milwaukee beer to be stored in the new Val. Blatz warehouse, has arrived in the city.

FOR ten days only—robes, blankets, trunks and satchels. C. O. D. Harness Shop, South Main street. At cost. H. F. Sadler.

HAVE you tried Paragon Tea? The best of all for blood, liver and kidney trouble. 25 cents, at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

You have read a great deal lately about sales of dry goods and notions. They are as nothing compared to the sale at the Bee Hive.

STOCK holders in the Loan, Savings & Building Association should bear in mind that Monday, 20th is the regular pay day. Secretary at his office Rock county National bank 7 to 9 p. m.

POLITICAL prophets will be numerous from now on and Frank H. Baack & Co. encourage them by offering a \$15 suit to the first man who guesses the names of republican and democratic presidential and vice presidential nominees.

OH, sleigh riders, cover your feet with fur-lined carriage boots when you are riding to a party. We will furnish you with some cheaper than any store can buy them by the case. Brown Bros & Lincoln.

ALL persons who have left F. R. M. coupons at Kronitz Bros. meat market since January 1 are requested to report to me. I will give full credit for all they have left, as Kronitz Bros. are not on our list and have not been since January 1. A. C. Switzer.

ECHOES OF THE DAY IN TOWN

GET a ring for 10 cents at H. F. Nott's.

THE Light Infantry will drill to-night.

THE Christ church cadets will drill tonight.

THE Business Men's Association will meet tonight.

THE meetings at the Baptist church will continue all of this week.

THE choir union will meet at the Congregational church tonight.

THE city physicians will meet at the Municipal Court room this evening.

ORIENTAL Lodge No. 22 Knights of Pythias will meet at Castle Hall to-night.

MOSES BROS. will ship a carload of furniture tomorrow to Oberon, North Dakota.

THE harvesting of the ice crop is furnishing employment to many Janesville laborers.

MEN's and boys' shoes, that for quality and price cannot be equalled at the Bee Hive.

DALY's ice cream plant has been stocked with ice, preparing for the summer business.

EUGENE KESLER will organize a physical culture class at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight.

A BOY has arrived to brighten the South Jackson street home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ring.

THE Daughters of Rebekah will give a masque ball on February 21, at the Light Infantry Armory.

WE have 142 gold and silver rings left that go this week for from 10 cents to \$5 each. H. F. Nott.

LADIES', misses' and children's shoes only the best goods, at less than the manufacturers' prices at the Bee Hive.

A BELOIT delegation will come up to see Herrman, Manager Stoddard, having secured excursion rates for them.

FOR a few days we will sell you a 75 cent laundered or unlaundered white shirt at 37 cents. T. J. Zeigler.

THE Woodmen's Camp will lose a willing worker by the removal of H. J. Marsden to Newport News, Virginia.

THE F. F. J. club was entertained Saturday evening at the St. Lawrence Place home of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Carle.

THE Y. P. R. C. of Trinity church will serve a supper at Columbia hall Saturday evening of this week, from 5 till 8 p. m.

T. P. BURNS is offering a line of all wool dress goods at 34 cents that cannot be matched in the city for less than 50 cents.

Do not forget that we pay a five per cent cash premium on all coupons turned in to us. Prentice & Evenson, opposite postoffice.

WE don't give reading matter for the F. R. M. coupons, but we do pay you a 5 per cent cash premium for them. Prentice & Evenson.

WE will accept F. R. M. coupons at our store and will pay a five per cent premium on each dollar turned in. Prentice & Evenson.

If you are looking for old goods don't come to us. We carry the best and the latest in the market and at prices lower than any in the city. Bee Hive.

ONE HUNDRED and sixty four young men attended the Y. M. C. A. meeting yesterday afternoon. C. P. Beers being the leader.

JOHN and George Pitcher have taken charge of the weighing business, which was formerly conducted on Main street by their father John Pitcher.

ONE five per cent cash premium for the F. R. M. coupons is very popular with our customers it is worth more than reading matter. Prentice & Evenson.

THE death of D. H. Pulsifer, the Shawano postoffice inspector, will be a great surprise to Janesville people. Details are given in a dispatch on the first page.

JAMES BROWN was accidentally caught in the ice tongs while filling the Conrad cold storage warehouse, and was carried to the top of the building, but luckily escaped injury.

THE Louis F. Knipp Brewing Company is not compelled to put in a "crop" of ice. They believe in manufacturing their own "cold atmosphere," and have the machinery to do it.

WHEN you stop and think of it a dollar saved on a \$3.20 or \$4 shoe is quite a saving. That is the saving we make you at our reduction and slaughter sale. A. Richardson Shoe company.

ANY suit, overcoat or pant in our store at actual cost. Our clothing is all fully up to the standard as regards quality. No old shoddy stuff of any kind in our stock; \$4.75 to \$6 will buy a good business suit. T. J. Zeigler.

MANY persons have taken advantage of the cut prices we are making. Last week our trade surprised us. Good goods at low prices is what did it. Our reduction and slaughter sale is a success. A. Richardson Shoe company.

THREE Janesville markets now take Free Reading matter coupons. These are B. B. Harper, West Milwaukee street; William Schofield, North Main street; and William Kammer, Center avenue. All parts of the town are thus accommodated.

THE last lecture of the Y. M. C. A. course comes on Wednesday evening of this week, when A. E. Matheson speaks on "A Summer Vacation in the British Isles and Europe." Single admission to this lecture will be 25 cents. Lecture commences at 8 o'clock.

CLASSIFY THE WORK IN THE GYMNASIUM

Y. M. C. A. TO GUARD AGAINST
ACCIDENTS.

Each Member Who Desires to Take

The Physical Course Will be Examined and Then Assigned To a Class Suitable to His Age and Strength.

HE members of the Y. M. C. A. who desire to work in the gymnasium will be "examined, classified and assigned to duty" much the same as are the soldiers in your Uncle Samuel's army in order that each may be benefited by the use of the apparatus without being injured. Secretary Kline and Mr. Keesler have had the work in charge and they will report at a meeting to be held tonight. The classes will be arranged according to the age and ability of the members. In the afternoon the time will be devoted to a boys and business men's class. The boys class will be divided into a junior and a boys department, the former to come between the ages of 12 to 16, while the latter will include all between the ages of 16 to 18 years. No boy under the age of sixteen will be admitted to the building in the evening. The business men will be given the hours between 4 to 6 in the afternoon, while a separate class composed of high school boys between the ages of 14 to 18 will also be drilled in the afternoon.

Physician Is Examiner.

In the evening the different classes will be graded according to ability, and will include three different grades, elementary, intermediate and advanced. All young men will be first given a thorough physical examination by a local physician who will report, after which the pupil will be placed in a proper grade from which he will then be advanced according to his ability and as the physical director may decide. The precaution is a wise one, as the scholar might injure himself for life if he was not assigned to work suitable for his age and strength. Each month an examination or an inspection will be held and promotion made according to merit.

Saturday night will be considered a "free night" and the boys will be allowed to indulge in any of their favorite sports. It is also proposed that two nights in a month will be free to ladies who will be admitted to the gallery to witness the working of the "gym."

SHE WANTS NO BENEFIT DANCE

Mrs. Joseph Wallace Says She Cannot Accept Alms From Such a Source.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—It is stated in a Sunday paper that arrangements are being made for a benefit dance for the family of the late Joseph Wallace. Permit us to say, Mr. Editor, for the benefit of the public (so that nobody may be deceived) that these arrangements have been entered into without our knowledge or consent. We are truly grateful to our neighbors and friends for their sympathy in our affliction, but we do not need and will not accept alms from the patrons or promoters of Saturday night orgies. Respectfully,

MRS. JOSEPH WALLACE AND FAMILY.

COWARDLY DOG POISONER WORKS

Fourth Ward Canine Gets Meat That Is Fatally Treated.

The dastardly dog destroyer is again at work in the Fourth ward, and yesterday afternoon people going home from church were compelled to stand by and see a large black dog die from the effects of poison. A dog belonging to E. J. Bennett was also affected Saturday night, but prompt efforts saved its life. Another canine belonging to Mrs. Inman, on Locust street, was taken violently ill also, but its life was finally saved.

BRAKEMAN O. A. BRAMER HURT.

Thrown Against a Switch and Has His Knee Gashed.

O. A. Bramer, a C. & N. W. brakeman, was thrown against a switch while working in the yards, shortly after midnight Saturday, and had a deep gash cut in his knee. Dr. E. F. Woods, the company's surgeon was called to attend him.

Cotton Wash Dress Goods.

We have five solid cases of the newest, nobbiest, and most sensible cotton materials for spring and summer dresses. It's the largest and best selected line of wash dress goods ever brought into the city, we will guarantee. The patterns, colorings and designs are marvels of beauty; every possible picture that looms can paint, waves, spots, dashes, and geometry run wild. A paradise for ladies. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A Grand Success.

The great sale of cloaks which started this morning, is a success from the beginning and no such opportunity was ever offered in Janesville to buy from such a collection of up-to-date garments as this sale offers. Just think of buying misses' jackets, children's cloaks, and ladies' garments which have sold as high as \$10, at \$3.87, and 30-inch astrakhan capes, eoney capes, cloth capes, short, nobby jackets regularly worth up to \$16.50 at \$6.87. The sale began this morning and will end next Saturday and it will pay you to look in and see what great bargains are offered.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

THE FOLKS WHO COME AND GO

C. A. BLANCHARD visited Orford today.

H. D. M'KINNEY spent the day in Chicago.

I. C. BROWNELL spent the day in Milwaukee.

EDWIN BAILEY spent the day in the World's Fair city.

Miss ELIZABETH BUNT has been added to the force at the Bee Hive.

EDWIN SALEMAN has returned to Sheboygan where he expects to work.

I. ROSENBLATT and L. F. Fitzgibbon, of Beloit, Sundayed at the Grand.

MANAGER WILLITZ inspected the telephone exchange at Monroe today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Marshall left this evening for a short visit in Chicago.

Mrs. C. A. DUTTON, of Leavenworth, Kas., is the guest of Mrs. E. E. Loomis.

Mrs. ELIZA BURPER left this morning for a visit with friends in Beloit.

Mrs. JOSEPH JACQUISH spent the day visiting friends in the World's Fair City.

DR. GEORGE G. CHITTENDEN was called to Ahnapee today to see a patient.

J. H. McVICKER visited Brodhead today to attend to a plumbing contract.

C. A. Libby of the Evansville Tribune and Enterprise spent Sunday at the Myers.

C. W. BILLINGS returned to Chicago this morning, after a visit over Sunday in the city.

HERMAN HUNT left this morning for Albany where he will work a month at a carpenter work.

R. M. FENNER spent the day in Rockford, in the interest of the Kent Manufacturing Company.

GEORGE EWEN visited Milton Junction today in the interest of A. H. Sheldon & Company.

Mrs. A. W. WHELOCK and daughter, of Rockford, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood.

FRANK G. STEVENS formerly of this city but now of Chicago, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Mrs. L. M. THOMAS, Mrs. S. M. Hayward and Miss Carrie Baldwin were Chicago visitors today.

JOHN J. LUGG, pastor of the Jefferson M. E. church, is visiting in the city the guest of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Thomas, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fulton, North Franklin street.

Mrs. ANN BROWN returned home this morning, after a four months' visit with her daughter at Belvidere.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Parks of Chicago, returned home this morning after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hiarich.

Miss HELEN GRAY who has been visiting in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Mayne left this morning for her home at Portage.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gallagher left this morning for their home in Chicago after a pleasant visit in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tallmadge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Swan of Mason City, Ia., left this morning for Chicago, after a visit in this city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hayner.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Hadden of Rock Prairie, are happy over the arrival of a little son that came to gladden their home this morning.

THE little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myers, who was seriously ill with membranous croup, is improving under the care of Dr. E. W. Edden.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

If you want oranges go to Hayner & Grubb's.

ANOTHER sale—2d page tells. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

Best bread in the city three cents a loaf at Hayner & Grubb's.

ANOTHER sale—2d page tells. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

WE sell this week spectacles and sterling silver rings for 10 cents each. H. F. Nott.

THE South Main street home of Dr. and Mrs. Thorne, has been brightened by the arrival of a baby girl.

ONE more week of Northern Dairy butter for 20 cents a pound. Its as good as creamery. Nolan Bros.

WE will make a great slaughter sale of watches this week. Cost prices on the best time keepers. H. F. Nott.

IN men's and boys' clothing the Bee Hive has a complete stock. The prices are right and the quality first. Bee Hive.

DROP in and look at our suspenders at 17 cents per pair. If you buy will guarantee you get a suspender worth at the very least 35 cents. T. J. Zeigler.

WE were short on help yesterday at our opening sale, as we did not anticipate such a rush. We will be prepared to wait on all customers this week. Bee Hive.

CLOAK selling, cape selling at its height, proven beyond a doubt that our prices are the most tempting, and that people have more confidence in the class of winter garments we sell than in the kinds to be found in some other stores. The number we are selling proves it. As far as prices go, if you want a cloak or cape we will make prices that will interest you. Heed not what others say, buy not before you get our prices. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

Twenty Cents a Pound for Another Week

We have decided to run Northern Dairy butter for another week at 20 cents a pound. It's guaranteed, remember, to be just as good as creamery, and costs you much less. Better stock up this week. Nolan Bros.

MEY ARE LAID OFF FOR LACK OF WORK

SEVERAL C. & N. W. ENGINEERS REDUCED TO FIREMEN.

While the Firemen are Taking an Enforced Vacation—Move Is the Result of Slack Business—Block Signal System is Abandoned For the Same Cause.

Slack business, is the cause given for the "laying off" of a number of local firemen, and the setting back of a number of engineers on the Northwestern road, the change taking effect yesterday. Master Mechanic John Heath, of the Wisconsin Division, with headquarters at Chicago, was in the city yesterday, and after talking the matter over with local officials, decided on the above change.

"You see there were so many extra men on the list, that very few of them got work," remarked a local man this morning, "and when a list of ten to fifteen men were all on board at once, they stood very little show of getting a trip out oftener than once in two weeks. The reinstatement of the men will depend upon how business is in the future."

Block Signals Not Used.

The block signal system, which the Northwestern Company recently introduced on this division, was abandoned last evening owing to slack business. The system, which has been in operation but a few weeks, was put in when the company was doing an extra large business, but since traffic has suddenly fallen off the company has decided that it was an unnecessary expense. Orders were received last evening calling in both the day and night operators between this city and Harvard, with the exception of the man in the block house situated in the Janesville yards which will still be presided over by F. Marshall.

"I have been expecting this move for some time," remarked a local official this morning. "The move may be reconsidered when business picks up."

L. H. BECKER IN THE HOSPITAL.

The Operation for Appendicitis Was Performed This Morning.

L. H. Becker underwent his operation at St. Joseph's Hospital, Chicago, at 9:30 o'clock this morning, the knife being wielded by Dr. Senn. Dr. E. F. Woods and Dr. Joe Whiting witnessed the operation. Fred S. Woodruff received a letter from Mr. Becker yesterday saying that Dr. Senn said he was in excellent condition for the operation, and that there were now five patients in that institution on which similar operations had been successfully performed.

Fred S. Woodruff this afternoon received a dispatch from Chicago saying that the operation was a successful one, and that Mr. Becker is now resting easily.

LA PRAIRIE CREAMERY IS A "GO."

Stock Was Taken Quite Liberally Today—Want a Big List.

The La Prairie creamery is about a settled fact, and the stock was being liberally subscribed for this morning.

"We could sell the entire issue to two men if we wanted to," remarked one of the stockholders this morning, "but that isn't our object. The more farmers we get interested in it the bigger success it will be."

FALL HEIR TO MANY MILLIONS

Mrs. Cuckow, of Bradford, Said To Have Been "Remembered."

It is reported that Mrs. S. F. Cuckow, of Bradford, has fallen heir to a large fortune, consisting of real estate in New York city. The property involved is estimated up in the millions, and includes old Trinity church. There are many heirs, A. B. Crump, of Clinton, being one of the number who will come in for his share.

MRS JOHN CULLEN'S ARM BROKEN

A Fall on the Slippery Sidewalk Inflicted Painful Injuries.

Mrs. John Cullen, of the Third ward, fell on a slippery sidewalk at her home Saturday night, and broke her left arm. Dr. E. F. Woods reduced the fracture.

ANNEX goods at cost. F. S. Winslow.

In our window

you will see a box containing a brand new two-dollar bill. Scattered around this box lay

200 keys,

one of which will open the box. You will also notice a display of cigars and Lowney's Bon Bons. With every 25c purchase of cigars or bon bons you are entitled to take your pick of one of these keys. As soon as they are all taken the box will be placed where it can be opened, and if your key will open it, the bill is yours.

PALMER & BONESTEEL

SMITH'S GERMAN CORN CURE... Does The Work. Guaranteed. 25c SMITH'S PHARMACY.

ALL SOULS, The People's Church

Which shall we choose?

That which makes the least or that which makes the most demand on our credulity? Is it true as

Some one has said

that "the hardest of all sacrifice which Christianity entails to an intelligent man is the putting aside of his own intellect?"

Unbelief is not so bad as make belief.

It is an impety to pretend to believe without evidence or against evidence. An ounce of intelligent doubt outweighs for human good a ton of indignant and careless taking of things for granted.

VICTOR E. SOUTHWORTH, Pastor

We Need Money, You Need Wood.

It takes mighty little cash to buy a cord of the best oak or maple from us NOW.

Our Wood Pile is Too Big For January

Janesville Coal Company.

MYERS GRAND

WM. H. STODDARD LESSEE & MANAGER

THE EVENT.

Tuesday Night, Jan. 21st.

* HERMANN *

Would Not Be Insulted.

Trolley car No. 6, going up Austin avenue one day last week, contained but one solitary male passenger. Having exhausted the beauties of the scenery from the car window, he finally entered into conversation with the motorman.

"What do you think?" he inquired; "a man called me a dude this morning."

"A dude!" What did you pulverize him with?" asked the motorman.

"O, I only laughed at him," replied the man.

"Only laughed at him!" exclaimed the motorman, excitedly. "I'd shoot him down like a dog. I'll tell you what, sir, no man could cast such reflections as that on my mother and live."—Texas Siftings.

Where He Made a Speech.

Mrs. Littlewit (proudly)—Only just think, Charles has gone to address a public gathering.

Friend—I didn't know he was a speechmaker.

Mrs. Littlewit—Nor I; but he's been called upon to make a statement before a meeting of his creditors.—Amusing Journal.

Mutual Admiration.

"Bykins' wife thinks he is a wonderfully smart man," remarked a friend of the family.

"Yes; it is a very happy arrangement. She thinks he is a wonderfully smart man and he thinks she must be a very smart woman to realize how smart he is, and they get along beautifully."—Washington Star.

All in the Process.

Mr. Nuwed—I see they've given you butterine for butter.

Mrs. Nuwed—Oh! yes—I've just got straightened out on that subject.

"Got what?"

"Why, the grocer tells me they're just the same, only butter is milked from the cow and butterine is taken from her after she's butchered!"—Chicago Record.

Very Affectionate.

Wife—You do not love me.

Husband—I do, and I want to love you more.

"Then why do you rush off to the club?"

"Absence makes the heart grow fonder, you know."—N. Y. Weekly.

A Handsome Settlement.

Montrose—When you asked old Moneybags what he was going to settle on his daughter, I suppose he came down handsomely.

Van Puff—Yes, indeed; he made such a kick at me that it completely carried him off the other foot.—N. Y. Recorder.

Brought to Time.

Mrs. Ferry—Dear, that necktie is getting frightfully seedy.

Mr. Ferry—I guess it will do for another week or two.

Mrs. Ferry—George Ferry, if you don't come home to-night with a new tie on I shall buy you one myself.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Step Higher.

Cobble—Since Van Scandle ceased to be a reporter he has been doing very well.

Stone—What at?

Cobble—He learned to break into houses so successfully that he has become a burglar.—Life.

Another Complication.

"Why do you look so gloomy, Tompkins?"

"You know my best girl is one of 'new women'?" Well, I am puzzled to decide whether I ought to ask her to marry me or wait for her to propose."—Chicago Record.

A Problem.

If "Golf" is "Goff," I'd like to know why it's not "Guff Of Mexico."—Harper's Bazar.

EMBARRASMENTS OF DIVORCE.



He—We met last in 82.
She—Ah, yes! Let me see. Who was I engaged to in 82?—Life.

Well Tutored.

This time of year I love to kiss the summer girl—I am not fooling—For now one feels an added bliss, Resulting from her summer schooling.—Life.

Solemn Truths.

All girls don't make sailors, but they make excellent mates.

A henpecked man has no sayso in this world. It is only when dying he can use his will.—N. Y. World.

That Son-in-Law.

"Papa, George says he is very much worried about his income."

"I shouldn't think he would worry about a little thing like that."—Life.

His Last Resort.

"Why has De Quartz taken up the study of geology as a profession?"

"He needs the rocks."—Detroit Free Press.

Two A. M.

Harsh Papa—Did George stay late last night?

Tribuna—No, pa; he went early.—Boston Courier.

Getting Late.

She—I wish you wouldn't smoke that cigarette in my presence.

He—Then I'll throw it away.

"Oh, I didn't mean that."—Life.

EXPERTS AT CHEMISTRY.

Germans Lead the World in the Mysticism of the Laboratory.

"Made in Germany" is now the recognized trade-mark for chemicals throughout the world. The dyes and by-products derived from coal tar have become a classical instance, or, as Bacon would have said, a glaring example. As we have stated, the Fatherlanders have captured these trades from us. Go to Elberfeld, and what do we see? At the Farbenfabriken, besides first-class works, we are shown a laboratory unsurpassed, perhaps not equaled, in London, and employed in research or in the business there are sixty high-class chemists. In the Badische Anilin und Sodafabrik seventy-eight chemists are engaged. An expert witness told the Gresham commission that six skilled chemists was the maximum number employed in any English color works, if, indeed, there were so many. These men are unceasingly active in research. The price to pay for progress is eternal vigilance. Every hint from England, France, America or Italy is tried; every new material tested; every hopeful process patented. The great works at Höchst made in 1890 from 1,700 to 1,800 colors; they employed 3,000 hands, seventy chemists, and twelve engineers. A firm in Offenbach with 300 workers had forty-five investigators.

The lesson that has been driven home in the Fatherland is that industrial processes carried on upon a large scale give great chances for discovery. Just as gas making gave aniline so the soap-boilers' lye yielded iodine, the waste of salt gardens bromine, the mother-liquors from the springs caesium and rubidium, the acid chambers selenium and thallium, the mines and metallurgical works gallium and germanium. Therefore the "chemiker," on the other side of the Rhine, is always looking out for something new. He found it in the benzidine and azo dyes, the former giving Congo red and chrysamin, "the most important discovery of modern times so far as cotton dyeing is concerned." In short, as Dr. Ostwald has said, it is now a firm article of belief that "the secret of German industrial chemistry is the recognition that science is the best practice." In England it is greatly to be feared there still lingers faith in "the rule of thumb."

ORIGIN OF THE HUMAN RACE.

Some Scientists Hold the Polar Regions Were Once Inhabited.

Believers in the Laplace theory of the origin of the sun and the planets are of the opinion that the original stock of the human race first came into existence at the poles of the earth and gradually moved out toward the equator. All believers in the nebular hypothesis are fast conforming their ideas to the belief that this earth was once a red-hot ball of fire, and that the human race came into existence as soon as a portion of the globe had cooled sufficiently to admit of their living upon it. The portion most likely to cool first was the poles, and the evidence deduced from this speculation is that upon which is founded the idea of the polar origin of the human family. On the above theory is explained the mysterious finding of the remains of tropical birds, beasts and plants far up in the polar regions. If it is really true that the poles were the first habitable spots on the earth's surface, and that they were rendered so by the globe first cooling at the spots least affected by sunshine, it must be true also that the polar regions are gradually encroaching upon the temperate and torrid zones. Who knows but that the centuries yet to come will fill the Indian ocean and the Gulf of Mexico with icebergs and keep the Nile and the Amazon frozen solidly throughout the year?—Ex.

The Biggest American Diamond.

Diamonds have been found occasionally at different places in the United States, but never in sufficient quantities to render systematic mining profitable. The largest authenticated diamond ever found in this country was picked up by a laborer engaged in grading the streets of Manchester, Va. Its original weight was about twenty-four carats, and, after cutting, a twelve carat stone resulted. On this stone, called by Captain Dewey, its owner, the Oinoor, there was once loaned \$1,200, but Mr. Kunz, the diamond expert, appraised its value at less than a thousand dollars, as it is poorly colored and imperfect. In the matter of diamonds Yankee land at all events does not "lick creation."

The Retort Courteous.

The Prison Mirror, a bright paper edited by the inmates of the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minn., made the statement recently that "all Minnesota editors out of jail left last Saturday for the Atlanta exposition." To this the Grove City Times replied:

"We take exception to that statement, but assure our shorn brother that we have no malicious maledictions to shower upon him."

And this is how the "shorn brother" apologizes: "We humbly beg pardon, Brother Rearick, for our unwarrantable assertion; and, in palliation of our offense, we would say that this is the first intimation we have had that you were out of jail."

How He "Yumped His Yob."

The manager of a Montana mine sent his Swedish foreman out a few days ago to do some work around the mouth of an old mining shaft, and he took a green countryman with him as an assistant. In a couple of hours the foreman walked up to the manager's office and remarked: "Say, colonel, I want anudder man."

"Why, what's the matter with that man I sent out with you?" inquired the manager.

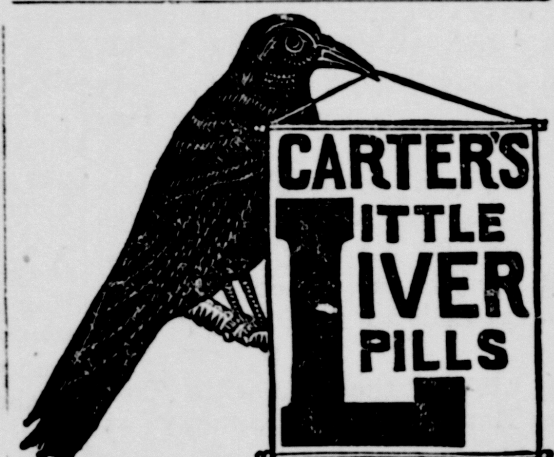
"Oh, he fall down de shaft 'bout an hour ago, an' he don't come up. I tink he yumped his yob."

Flight of a Cannon Ball.

The most careful experiments ever made on the flight of a cannon ball were those conducted by the English authorities in the jubilee year. The experiment was made with a twenty-two-ton gun, and it was found that a ball fired from the monster made a flight of 128½ feet over twelve miles before it struck the ground. Careful timing with an improved chronometer proved that the ball was 69½ seconds making the twelve-mile journey, and that the highest point it attained was 17,000 feet above the earth's surface.

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LIFE ON DESTRUCTION ISLAND.

Unusual Things Seen by a North Pacific Lighthouse-keeper.

From the Seattle Post-Intelligencer: The keeper of the government lighthouse, which was established a few years ago on Destruction island, doubtless leads a lonely life, but he has some experiences which a lover of the romantic and the adventurous might well covet. The island itself is not without a certain weird fascination. Thirty-five miles south of Cape Flattery it arises abruptly from the face of the ocean. It has a picturesque, though wild and rugged beauty, and as it stands facing the northern blasts that have sent more than one stout ship to the bottom, it calls up the name of Isla de Dolores, which the early Spanish navigator, Quadra, gave it to commemorate his misfortunes, and the latter name of Destruction island, given to it in 1787 by Captain Berkley on account of the sad fate of several of his crew who were murdered on its savage coast. On wild and stormy nights, when the wind is whirling the sea into foam against the beetling edges of the island, the scene passes the merely beautiful and becomes majestic and sublime.

On such nights the keeper has visitors that do not come to the door of the ordinary landlubber. Flocks of wild fowl, attracted by the bright light, fly blindly toward it, and, with the force of the wind added to that of their own stout wings, they are driven against the lens with a momentum that sometimes shatters the thick glass, but oftener results in instant death to the birds. Sometimes there is a positive volley of birds against the face of the light, and as many as a dozen have been known to strike it simultaneously. After a stormy night it is not uncommon for the keeper to pick up at the base of the tower as many as twenty-five dead birds. Many of these are of the choicest kinds, and the keeper's table seldom lacks a supply such as an epicure might crave.

During the day the keeper is frequently greeted by the thrilling sight of a whale hunt by Indians in the neighboring waters, a chase as hazardous and exciting as any on mountain or plain. Each canoe goes out with a crew of six oarsmen, one spearsman in the stern. To the end of the spear an air-tight sealskin, inflated like a bladder, is attached by a line fifty feet long. A dozen of these boats go out together when a whale is sighted. Stealthily a single boat moves out from the little fleet and approaches the big game, the oarsmen stoical and calm, the spearsman erect, rigid and statuesque. It is a moment of grave peril.

A splashing oar, a sudden move, a wavering hand or hot heat at the helm, and boat and crew would go down beneath a single stroke from the great monster now so near. At precisely the right instant the spearsman hurls his spear with unerring aim, and the battle begins. And then one standing on the island cliff sees the little boat dart away and the whale fiercely churning the water.

The other boats come up rapidly. Weakened by loss of blood, retarded by the air-tight skins that float on the water, and worn out by turning hither and thither in whimsical pursuit of his many foes, the whale slowly gives over the unequal contest and is towed at last, like a great hulk of a merchantman, to Neah bay, where the Indians gather for a great feast.

How the Earth Loses Time.

The explanation of Lord Kelvin's estimate that the "set-back" of the earth in its daily rotation round its axis amounts to twenty-two seconds per century, is reported to be that such retardation is owing to the friction caused by the tides, the latter acting as a brake, and such action is calculated, according to the same authority, to be equal in weight to some 400,000 tons applied on the equator. Other causes, he says, have also to be taken into account, as, for example, the increase in the size of the earth, due to the falling on it of meteoric dust, which, if deposited at the rate of one foot in 4,000 years, would produce the observed retardation by itself. Further, such a phenomenon as the annual growth and melting of snow and ice at the poles, by abstracting water from the other parts of the ocean, introduces irregularities into the problem, the abstraction accelerating the earth's motion and the melting, by restoring the water, retarding it.—Boston Journal of Commerce.

The Only Drug Store.

An authority on such matters says that there is only one drug store in this country, and that one is located on Fifth avenue, New York. No patent medicines or proprietary articles are in stock, for it is a prescription plant pure and simple, and is patronized by the leading physicians. All their analyzing is done there, and ten clerks are kept busy filling prescriptions. The man who runs this genuine drug store nets about \$25,000 a year. Some other drug stores here, however, make more than that out of the sale of liquors alone.

Will Please Smokers.

Professor Hajak of Vienna has declared that smokers are less liable to diphtheria and other throat diseases than nonsmokers in the ratio of one to twenty-eight. The learned Dr. Schiff also gives us to understand that smoking is always positively forbidden in bacteriological laboratories, because it is known to hinder the development of the bacteria.

Flower Farming.

The statistics of flower farming tell us that the British Indies and Europe consume annually, at the very lowest estimate, 150,000 gallons of perfumed spirits, under various names.

USES OF THE BANANA.

The Skin Is Valuable for Blackening Shoes.

In the West Indies the dried leaves and prepared portions of the stem are used as packing materials, says Chambers' Journal. Fresh leaves are used to shade young coffee or cocoa seedlings in nursery beds, and to cover cocoa beans during fermentation. The young unopened leaves are so smooth and soft that they are used as dressing for blisters. In India the dried stalk of the plantain leaf is used as a rough kind of twine and the larger parts are made into small boxes for holding snuff, drugs, etc.

In the Malay peninsula the ash of the leaf and leaf stalk is used instead of soap or fuller's earth in washing clothes, and a solution of the ash is often used as a salt in cooking. In the Dutch Indies, the skin of the plantain is used for blackening shoes. The juice which flows from all cut parts of the banana is rich in tannin and of so blackening a nature that it may be used as an indelible marking ink. In Java, the leaves of the "wax banana" are covered on the under side with a white powder, which yields a valuable wax, clear, hard and whitish, forming an important article of trade. The ashes of the leaves, stem, and fruit rind are employed in Bengal in many dyeing processes. In Siam, a cigarette wrapper is made from the leaves.

Fiber is got from the stems of many kinds of bananas. The most valuable is the "manilla hemp" of commerce, which holds the chief place for making white ropes and cordage. Old ropes made of it form an excellent papermaking material, much used in the United States for stout packing papers. The manilla hemp industry is a large one. About 50,000 tons of fiber, valued at \$3,000,000, are annually exported from the Philippine islands. The manilla hemp plant is grown exclusively in the southern part of the Philippines, and all attempts to grow it elsewhere have failed. Many articles are made from manilla hemp—mats, cords, hats, plaited work, lace handkerchiefs of the finest texture, and various qualities of paper. At Wohlau, in Switzerland, an industry has been started for making lace and materials for ladies' hats from it. By a simple process it is made into straw exactly resembling the finest wheat straw for plaiting.

Mr. Bergerot's Legs Scalded by a Volcano.

San Augustine peak, forty miles east of here, is in a state of eruption. A week ago last Tuesday Day King and Lige Davis, who were out upon the mountain, heard a rumble in the earth, which was followed soon by a distinct explosion. About half a mile from them on the north side of the peak a large granite boulder soared aloft and fell with a crash among the loose rocks. The flight of the boulder was followed by a puff of steam and ashes. The family of Mr. Hufford also saw the eruption. The next day Mr. Bergerot went to the place where the explosion occurred and found a depression partly filled with ashes from which the boulder had been ejected. The snow was gone for some distance around the hole and the ground was perfectly dry. Mr. Bergerot soon became aware that his feet were uncomfortably warm and that steam was going up his trousers and scalding his legs and, fearing a repetition of the volcanic eruption, he hastened away from the spot.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Aluminium Skates.

One of the most important aluminum novelties of the year is the invention of a New Yorker. It is a racing skate that is almost without weight and at the same time sufficiently strong to stand the tremendous pressure brought by skaters ambitious to break Donoghue's record of a mile in 2:12 1-5. The skate is composed of a steel runner eighteen inches long, one-sixteenth of an inch thick and almost as thin as the blade of a knife. The blade is supported by a peculiar shaped aluminum support, on top of which is a light strip of mahogany, making a beautiful and artistic skate. One of the greatest problems skate manufacturers have had to contend with was the production of a skate with a knife-like runner eighteen inches or more in length, strong and rigid, and yet light enough to make their use practicable.

An Old Jack-Knife.

J. E. Marceau of Millbury has come into possession of a hand-forged jack-knife made in 1772. Its good condition is surprising. His brother came to visit him a short time ago and gave him this knife. Mr. Marceau says that when he was a small boy there was a stone house in St. Roch that none of the people could remember having been inhabited. It had been built in colonial times, and was of a style of architecture adapted for defense against the attacks of hostile savages. Last summer this old building was torn down, and in the cellar the old knife was found.

A Deeply Buried Tree.

An almost perfect cedar tree was discovered buried at a depth of 170 feet below the surface of the earth near Eureka Junction, Wash., by well diggers last week. Large pieces of the trunk and branches were taken out, and so well preserved was the tree that the grain of the wood was very plain. The well was dug through soft soil and soapstone and a little basaltic rock near the surface.

No Undertakers There.

There are no undertakers in Japan. When a person dies his nearest relatives put him into a coffin and bury him. The mourning does not begin until after the burial.



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Rehearsing in the Kitchen Before a Little Negro Servant.

In the South most of the servants were negroes. Among ours was a little mulatto girl ("nut-brown maid" she called herself) whose chief attraction to me was her enthusiasm for the theater, says Mary Anderson in the North American Review. One night in desperation I went to her while she was washing dishes in the kitchen and there unfolded all my hopes. It was to her I first acted and it was she who gave me my first applause. The clapping of those soapy, steaming hands seemed to me a veritable triumph. Believing that a tragic manner alone would sufficiently impress the situation on the "nut-brown maid," I began with a hollow voice and much frowning of the brow: "Julie, wilt thou follow and assist me when I quit my childhood's home to walk in the path of Siddons, Kemble and Booth?" "Oh, Miss Manie, you kin count on dis pusson, fo' de Lor' you kin! Why, my stars, what a boss actor you is! But you mus' low me to call you 'maw';" and in a trice she was gone. A few moments later she re-entered the kitchen with my mother, who was greatly surprised by my performance in the fourth act of "The Lady of Lyons," which could not have been acted in a more appropriate part of the house. She, in turn, called the critic of the family, Dr. Griffin, who, likewise, was astonished, and made my heart beat fast with joy by saying: "You'll make a good actress some day. Your scene has thrilled me and I would rather have rough work and a good thrill than any amount of artistic work without it." Spurred on by such encouragement I worked harder than ever, often staying up half the night to get some effect while trying to look into the heart and mind of the character under study. After that evening in the kitchen I read scenes or acted them nightly in our small household, usually from "Hamlet," "Richard" or Schiller's "Maid of Orleans."

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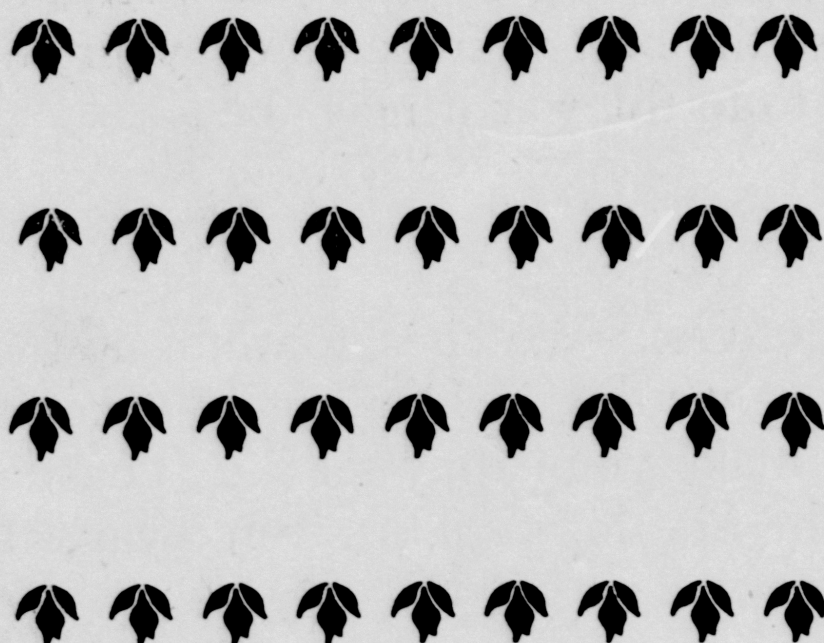
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